SENATE BILL 183

42ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1996

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SEVERANCE TAX BONDS TO DESIGN, CONSTRUCT AND EQUIP A PRESCHOOL EDUCATIONAL FACILITY FOR THE NASCHITTI NAVAJO CHAPTER IN SAN JUAN COUNTY; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--PURPOSE FOR WHICH ISSUED--APPROPRIATION OF PROCEEDS.--The state board of finance may issue and sell severance tax bonds in compliance with the Severance Tax Bonding Act in an amount not exceeding three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) when the New Mexico office of Indian affairs certifies the need for the issuance of the bonds. The state board of finance shall schedule the issuance and sale of the bonds in the most expeditious and economical manner possible upon a finding by the board that the project has been developed

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sufficiently to justify the issuance and that the project can proceed to contract within a reasonable time. The state board of finance shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to comply with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated to the New Mexico office of Indian affairs for the purpose of designing, constructing and equipping a preschool facility to house preschool and home-based educational services to youth living in and near the Naschitti Navajo chapter community located in San Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining Juan county. at the end of fiscal year 1999 shall revert to the severance tax If the New Mexico office of Indian affairs has bonding fund. not certified the need for the issuance of the bonds by the end of fiscal year 1998, the authorization provided in this section shall be void.

Section 2. EMERGENCY. -- It is necessary for the public peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE SECOND SESSION, JANUARY 24, 1996 Mr. President: Your COMMITTEES' COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred SENATE BILL 183 has had it under consideration and finds same to be GERMANE, PURSUANT TO CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS, and thence referred to the INDIAN AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. Respectfully submitted, SENATOR MANNY M. ARAGON, Chairman

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